110TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. RES. 1164

Expressing support for designation of May 2008 as "National Workforce Development Professionals Month".

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

April 29, 2008

Mr. Neal of Massachusetts submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

RESOLUTION

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Whereas the economic development of every region in our country and the ability of our businesses and industries to compete in the global economy is more than ever before dependent on the availability and quality of a skilled workforce;

Whereas the rapid changes in the skills required of the workforce, as evidenced by the complexity and fast-paced change in our economy and labor markets, puts new demands on individuals and employers at all levels;

Whereas the Nation's residents need the assistance of knowledgeable and dedicated professionals to facilitate the process by which our workforce identifies, prepares for,

obtains, maintains, and advances employment and selfsufficiency; and

Whereas the Nation's employers depend on similar levels of professional services to help them recruit and retain a competitive workforce and to continually upgrade the skill sets of their incumbent employees: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 Resolved, That the United States House of Rep-
- 2 resentatives expresses support for designation of a "Na-
- 3 tional Workforce Development Professionals Month" to
- 4 honor all those individuals in all the workforce develop-
- 5 ment organizations and partnerships who play such a vital
- 6 role in the Nation's economy.

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